

heard from Sally Katzen, Deputy Director, Management, OMB; David Barram, Administrator, GSA; David McClure, Director, Information Technology Management, GAO; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Held a hearing on Preventing and Fighting Crime: What Works? Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Patrick J. Coleman, Deputy Director, Policy and Management, Bureau of Justice Assistance, and John J. Wilson, Acting Administrator, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency, both with the Office of Justice Program; Bruce C. Fry, Social Science Analyst, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Department of Health and Human Services; Lynne Abraham, District Attorney, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and public witnesses.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a closed rule providing one hour of debate in the House on H.J. Res. 110, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2001, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule provides one motion to recommit.

CONFERENCE REPORT—INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4578, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. Testimony was heard from Representatives Regula, Young of Alaska, Tauzin, Dicks, Dingell, George Miller of California, and John.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D986)

H.J. Res. 109, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001. Signed September 29, 2000. (P.L. 106-275)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings on the nomination of Robert B. Pirie, Jr., of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Navy, 9:30 a.m., SR-222.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings on proposals to improve Internet privacy,

including S. 2928, to protect the privacy of consumers who use the Internet, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold oversight hearings on the use of comparative risk assessment in setting priorities and on the Science Advisory Board's Residual Risk Report, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, Restructuring and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine the District of Columbia's progress in achieving its performance goals for FY 2000, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine the impact of high fuel cost on low-income families, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

Select Committee on Intelligence: closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Oversight and the Courts, to continue oversight hearings on the Wen Ho Lee case, 9:30 a.m., SD-226.

Subcommittee on Youth Violence, to hold oversight hearings to examine Office of Justice programs, focusing on drug courts, 9:30 a.m., SD-628.

House

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government, on IRS-Electronic Tax Administration, 2 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, hearing on the Farm Credit Administration's National Charter Initiative, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials and the Subcommittee on Health and Environment, joint hearing on the Role of the EPA Ombudsman in Addressing Concerns of Local Communities, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on counterfeit bulk drugs and related concerns, 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing on Injured Federal Workers on Hold: Customer Communications at DOL's Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, hearing on the Anthrax Vaccine Immunization Program—What Have We Learned? 11 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, to continue markup of H. Res. 596, calling upon the President to ensure that the foreign policy of the United States reflects appropriate understanding and sensitivity concerning issues related to human rights, ethnic cleansing, and genocide documented in the United States record relating to the Armenian Genocide; and to mark up the following measures: H. Res. 577, to honor the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) for its role as a protector of the world's refugees, to celebrate UNHCR's 50th anniversary, and to praise the High Commissioner Sadako Ogata for her work with UNHCR for the past ten years; H. Con. Res. 397, voicing concern about serious violations of human rights and fundamental freedoms in most

states of Central Asia, including substantial noncompliance with their Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) commitments on democratization and the holding of free and fair elections; S. 2682, to authorize the Broadcasting Board of Governors to make available to the Institute for Media Development certain materials of the Voice of America; H. Con. Res. 404, calling for the immediate release of Mr. Edmond Pope from prison in the Russian Federation of Humanitarian reasons; S. 1453, Sudan Peace Act; H. Res. 588, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with respect to violations in Western Europe of provisions of the Helsinki Final Act and other international agreements relating to the freedom of individuals to profess and practice religion or belief; H. Con. Res. 414, relating to the reestablishment of representative government in Afghanistan; H. Con. Res. 410, condemning the assassination of Father John Kaiser and others who worked to promote human rights and justice in the Republic of Kenya; H. Con. Res. 361, commending the Republic of Benin; and H. Con. Res. 382, calling on the government of Azerbaijan to hold free and fair parliamentary elections in November, 2000, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, to mark up the following: H.R. 5285; Serious Human Rights Abusers Accountability Act of 2000; proposals to amend the Immigration and Nation-

ality Act; and requests for INS reports on private relief bills, 10:30 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Health, hearing on Chiropractic Services in the VA, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Health, to mark up the Medicare Refinement and Benefit Improvement Act of 2000, 12 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Human Resources, hearing on H.R. 5292, Flexible Funding for Child Protection Act of 2000, 10 a.m., B-318 Rayburn.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, executive, briefing on Global Hot Spots, 2 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Joint Meetings

Conference: meeting of conferees on H.R. 3244, to combat trafficking of persons, especially into the sex trade, slavery, and slavery-like conditions in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, through prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and through protection and assistance to victims of trafficking, 3 p.m., H-139 Capitol.

Conference: meeting of conferees on H.R. 4461, making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, 4 p.m., SC-5 Capitol.